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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ARGENTINE WILDLIFE LAWS

- 1. THE U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE IS CONDUCTING A SERIES OF INVESTIGATIONS INVOLVING POSSIBLE VIOLATIONS OF THE LACEY ACT (18 USC 43) BY U.S. RESIDENTS. THE LACEY ACT PROHIBITS THE TRANSPORTATION IN INTERSTATE OR FOREIGN COMMERCE ANY WILDLIFE WHICH WAS TAKEN, TRANSPORTED, OR SOLD IN VIOLATION OF THE LAWS OF ANY FOREIGN COUNTRY. IT APPEARS THAT IN SOME INSTANCES VIOLATIONS OF ARGENTINE LAW ARE INVOLVED.
- 2. IN ORDER TO CONTINUE THESE INVESTIGATIONS IT IS NECESSARY FOR THE FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE TO OBTAIN COPIES OF ARGENTINE WILDLIFE LAWS. SPECIFICALLY, THE SERVICE NEEDS CERTIFIED COPIES OF ARTICLE 29 OF ARGENTINE LAW 13.908 ENACED JULY 28, 1950, WHICH ARE REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE HUNTING AND PROTECTION OF FAUNA.
- 3. AMEMBASSY IS REQUESTED OF EXEMPLIFY THESE COPIES OF UNCLASSIFIED

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ARGENTINE LAW IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED

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4. IN REPLY PLEASE PASS TO T. L. STRIEGLER, DIVISION OF LAW ENFORCEMENT, U. S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D. C. KISSINGER

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